GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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SUPPLY OF FOOD TO SCHOOLS
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Hon'ble Supreme Court had banned contractors from supplying food to the schools in 2004;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether all the States have complied with the orders of the Supreme Court;

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefore, State-wise; and

(e) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M.A.A. FATMI)

(a) to (e): No such directions with respect to Mid- Day Meal Scheme have been given by the Hon'ble Supreme Court.